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TOWN OF HARWICH, CAPE COD

Incorporated Sept. 14, 1694.

Low Valuation — \$5,935,790.

Low Tax Rate — \$18.50.

Good Schools.

Good Roads.

Excellent Bathing (Average Temperature 72 degrees).

Baseball (Cape Champions 1933).

Boating — Fishing — Golf.

No Bonded Indebtedness — No Bills Payable.

No Money Borrowed in Anticipation of Taxes.

The Favorite Vacation Spot For Over 5,000.



Harwich was incorporated Sept. 14, 1694
Population by Census 1930, 2335.

TOWN OFFICERS 1933

Assessors

Jabez W. Crowell	Term expires February 1936
Charles D. Holmes	Term expires February 1935
Gershom D. Hall	Term expires February 1934

Selectmen, Overseers of Public Welfare and Board of Health

Jabez W. Crowell	Term expires February 1936
Charles D. Holmes	Term expires February 1935
Gershom D. Hall	Term expires February 1934

Town Clerk

Henry K. Bearse

Town Treasurer and Tax Collector

Edwin ~~Henry~~ K. Bearse

Town Accountant

Franklin D. Underwood

School Committee

Grace M. Fifield Nichols	Term expires February 1936
Ralph W. Doane	Term expires February 1935
Henry W. Thompson	Term expires February 1934

Registrars of Voters

Henry K. Bearse, ex officio

Earl B. Eldridge	Term expires May 1, 1936
Clarkson P. Bearse	Term expires May 1, 1935
George W. Banspach	Term expires May 1, 1934

Herring Committee

Emulous A. Cahoon	Prince E. Hall
Victor S. Ryder	

Superintendent of Streets

Alonzo Nickerson

Constables

Lawrence C. Homer Isaiah Kelley Emulous E. Hall

Chief of Police

Emulous E. Hall

Trustees Caleb Chase Fund

Theophilus B. Baker Joseph W. Raymond*

Walter Emery Joseph B. Atkins

Earl B. Eldridge J. Freeman Ryder

John T. Wood

Commissioners Brooks Park

Heman E. Bassett Term expires February 1936

J. W. Raymond* Term expires February 1935

Roger W. Tillson Term expires February 1934

Trustees Broadbrooks Free Library

Madeleine J. Crowell Term expires February 1936

Mildred B. Paine Term expires February 1935

Hillary M. LeClaire Term expires February 1934

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Uriel D. Phillips*

Tree Warden

Frank I. Shackley

Fire Warden

George M. Moody

Inspector of Slaughtering

Clifton C. Nickerson

Inspector of Animals

Charles H. Taylor

Surveyor of Wood and Lumber

Roswell H. Nye

Field Drivers, Fence Viewers and Pound Keepers

Lawrence C. Homer Isaiah Kelley Emulous E. Hall

Superintendent of Moth Department

Frank I. Shackley

Wire Inspector

Bradford L. Barrett

Plumbing Inspector

John T. Wood

*Deceased.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Assessors herewith respectfully submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1933.

Valuation of the Town Dec. 31, 1933	\$5,935,790.00
Valuation of the Town Dec. 31, 1932	5,854,780.00
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Increase in Valuation	\$ 81,010.00
Tax valuation on land excluding buildings	\$1,748,620.00
Tax valuation on buildings excluding land	3,782,330.00
Total on personal property Apr. 1, 1933	404,840.00
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Total	\$5,935,790.00
Tax on real estate April 1, 1933	\$ 102,322.57
Tax on personal estate April 1, 1933	7,489.54
Tax on polls April 1, 1933	1,476.00
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	\$ 111,288.11
Fractions	3.98
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	\$ 111,292.09
Amount of Warrant	\$ 111,292.09
Added valuation	3,000.00
Tax on added valuation	55.50
Rate of Taxation \$18.50 on \$1000.00	
Number of polls assessed	738
Number assessed on polls only	342
Number of persons, partnerships and corporations	
assessed on property	1791
Number of horses	23
Number of cows	70
Number of other cattle	6

Number of swine	22
Number of dwellings	1,318
Number of acres land	7,070
Number of fowl	860
Value of fowl	\$1,720.00

APPROPRIATIONS

Town expenses	\$125,103.40
State tax	7,020.00
Park tax	11.20
Old Age Assistance	739.00
County Tax	12,371.72
Overlays current year	3,480.32
Auditing municipal accounts	667.45
Mosquito control	1,523.08
Herring River dike, Wellfleet	313.01
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	\$151,229.18
Total deductions	39,326.57
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Net amount raised by taxation	\$111,902.61

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Income tax	\$ 8,203.58
Corporation tax	1,329.51
Bank tax	130.32
Motor vehicle excise tax	6,500.00
Licenses	1,000.00
Fines	432.00
Old Age Assistance	800.00
Town Clerk's fees	292.00
General Government	130.00
Health and sanitation	500.00

Charities	2,952.46
State aid	120.00
Schools	2,250.00
Libraries	1,300.00
Public service enterprises	266.00
Interest on taxes	1,200.00
Federal emergency relief	1,100.70
Rents	820.00
Deducted from surplus	10,000.00
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	\$39,326.57

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

HEARINGS

Payments	\$141.90	Appropriation	\$200.00
Bal. to Revenue	58.10		
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	\$200.00		

MODERATOR

Payments	\$20.00	Appropriation	\$20.00
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SELECTMEN & ASSESSORS' SALARY

Payments	\$3,100.00	Appropriation	\$3,100.00
Paid Jabez W. Crowell, Chairman	\$1,100.00		
Paid Charles D. Holmes	1,000.00		
Paid Gershom D. Hall	1,000.00		

SELECTMEN'S EXPENSE

Payments	\$200.00	Appropriation	\$200.00
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ASSESSORS' EXPENSE

Payments	\$382.04	Appropriation	\$400.00
Bal. to Revenue	17.96		
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	\$400.00		

ACCOUNTANT'S SALARY

Payments	\$900.00	Appropriation	\$900.00
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ACCOUNTANT'S EXPENSE

Payments	\$25.00	Appropriation	\$25.00
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TREASURER'S SALARY

Payments	\$1,800.00	Appropriation	\$1,800.00
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TREASURER'S EXPENSE

Payments	\$514.85	Appropriation	\$400.00
Bal. to Revenue	10.15	Trans. from	
	<hr/>	Reserve Fund	125.00
	\$525.00		<hr/>
			\$525.00

TREASURER'S BOND

Payments	\$328.90	Appropriation	\$328.90
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TOWN CLERK'S SALARY

Payments	\$300.00	Appropriation	\$300.00
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TOWN CLERK'S EXPENSE

Payments	\$101.12	Appropriation	\$125.00
Bal. to Revenue	23.88		
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	\$125.00		

TOWN CLERK'S BOND

Payments	\$5.00	Appropriation	\$5.00
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STENOGRAPHER

Payments	\$500.00	Appropriation	\$500.00
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ELECTION & REGISTRATION

Payments	\$218.09	Appropriation	\$300.00
Bal. to Revenue	81.91		
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	\$300.00		

Clarkson P. Bearse	\$40.00
Earl B. Eldridge	35.00
George W. Banspach	25.00
Printing notices, etc.	90.59
Election officers	27.50
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	\$218.09

LAW

No payments		Appropriation	\$200.00
Return to Revenue		\$200.00	

MISCELLANEOUS

Payments	\$ 90.20	Appropriation	\$300.00
Bal. to Revenue	209.80		
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	\$300.00		

EXCHANGE BUILDING

Payments	\$1,998.75	Appropriation	\$2,000.00
Bal. to Revenue	1.25		
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	\$2,000.00		

Janitor Service	\$500.00
Fuel	671.00
Light	221.22
Janitor's Supplies	24.03
Telephone	141.49
Repairs	396.17
Miscellaneous	44.84
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	\$1,998.75

OFFICE EQUIPMENT

Payments	\$94.84	Appropriation	\$100.00
Bal. to Revenue	5.16		
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	\$100.00		

REPAIRS PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Payments	\$1,998.22	Appropriation	\$2,000.00
Bal. to Revenue	1.78		
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	\$2,000.00		

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Payments		Appropriations	
Suppression		Suppression	
of Crime	\$2,091.55	of Crime	\$1,000.00
		Trans. from	
		Reserve Fund	600.00
Traffic	755.20	Traffic	1,200.00
Second District		Second District	
Court	359.10	Court	500.00
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	\$3,205.85		\$3,300.00
Bal. to Revenue	94.15		
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	\$3,300.00		

Suppression of Crime

Emulous E. Hall	\$858.20
Lawrence C. Homer	339.25
Robert A. Whiteley	141.13
Isaiah Kelley	332.81
Alton A. Bearse	130.50
Clifton C. Nickerson	57.50
Daniel B. Oliver	40.00
B. Harold Eldredge	20.75
Special officers	20.50
Telephone	37.70
Lights	12.98
F. S. Garland, material & labor	34.50
Harwich Lumber Co.	26.41
Incidentals	39.32
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	\$2,091.55

Traffic

Traffic Equipment Co.	\$123.15
National Colortype Co.	301.05
Clifton C. Nickerson	312.50
Alton A. Bearse	18.50
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	\$755.20

Second District Court

Emulous E. Hall	\$286.25
Isaiah Kelley	32.75
Lawrence C. Homer	40.10
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	\$359.10

FIRE WARDEN & DEPT.

Payments	\$2,863.55	Appropriation	\$3,500.00
Bal. to Revenue	636.45		
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	\$3,500.00		
Webster U. Eldredge	\$1,200.00		
George L. Grant	265.00		
Call men	573.14		
Fuel	230.50		
Lights	96.32		
Telephone	84.48		
Repairs & supplies	414.11		
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	\$2,863.55		

WIRE INSPECTOR

Payments	\$100.00	Appropriation	\$100.00
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SEALER WEIGHTS & MEASURES

Payments	\$300.00	Appropriation	\$300.00
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MOTH DEPARTMENT

Payments	\$1,982.42	Appropriation	\$2,000.00
Bal. to Revenue	17.58		

\$,2000.00

Labor		\$1,523.92
Insecticides		425.55
Repairs, supplies, etc.		32.95
		<hr/> \$1,982.42

TREE WARDEN

Payments	\$ 3.50	Appropriation	\$25.00
Bal. to Revenue	21.50		

\$25.00

BOARD OF HEALTH

Payments	\$2,892.84	Appropriation	\$4,000.00
Bal. to Revenue	1,107.16		

\$4,000.00

VISITING NURSE

Payments	\$1,200.00	Appropriation	\$1,200.00
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FREE BED CAPE COD HOSPITAL

Payments	\$500.00	Appropriation	\$500.00
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TOWN DUMP

Payments	\$ 854.25	Appropriation	\$1,000.00
Bal. to Revenue	145.75		

\$1,000.00

Caretaker		\$718.47
Labor & supplies		135.78

\$854.25

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Payments	\$75.00	Appropriation	\$75.00
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INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

Payments	\$75.00	Appropriation	\$75.00
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FISH WARDEN

Payments	\$75.00	Appropriation	\$100.00
Bal. to Revenue	25.00		

\$100.00

MOSQUITOES

No payments		Appropriation	
Open account		from 1928	\$1,000.00

GENERAL REPAIRS ON ROADS

Payments	\$6,997.78	Appropriation	\$7,000.00
Bal. to Revenue	2.22		

\$7,000.00

BRIDGES

Payments	\$121.79	Appropriation	\$150.00
Bal. to Revenue	28.21		

\$150.00

FENCES & RAILINGS

Payments	\$401.99	Appropriation	\$450.00
Bal. to Revenue	48.01		

\$450.00

SNOW

Payments	\$1,408.75	Appropriation	\$500.00
		Trans. from	
		Reserve Fund	908.75

\$1,408.75

BOUND STONES & SURVEYS

No payments	Appropriation	
Open account	from 1929	\$210.00

WYCHMERE HARBOR DOCK

Payments	\$1,290.97	Balance of	
		1928 appro'tion	\$1,290.97

WYCHMERE HARBOR JETTIES & DREDGING

Payments	\$2,500.00	Appropriation	\$1,500.00
		“ from 1932	1,000.00
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			\$2,500.00

WEST HARWICH BEACH

No payments	1928 Appropriation	\$125.00
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BROOKS ROAD TO EARL ROAD

No payments	1930 Appropriation	\$300.00
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CISTERNs & APPROACHES

Payments	\$395.00	Bal. 1928	
		appropriation	\$ 6.44
		Trans. from	
		Reserve Fund	388.56
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			\$395.00

SIDEWALK — NORTH HARWICH

Payments	\$500.00	Appropriation	\$800.00
Bal. to Revenue	300.00		
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	\$800.00		

LEBUFF SHORE FRONT

Payments	\$300.00	Appropriation	\$300.00
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APPROACHES TO PONDS

Payments	\$138.85	Appropriation	\$250.00
Bal. to Revenue	111.15		
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	\$250.00		

SHORE PROTECTION

Payments	\$2,000.00	Appropriation	\$2,000.00
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ALLEN'S HARBOR JETTY

Payments	\$3,000.00	Appropriation	\$3,000.00
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LONG POND ROAD

No payments		Appropriation	\$1,000.00
Return to Revenue		\$1,000.00	

TOWN LANDING

Payments	\$1,008.09	Appropriation	\$1,000.00
Overpayment of \$9.30 on this account has been refunded and balance of \$1.21 returned to revenue.			

SPECIAL TRUCK ACCOUNT

Payments	\$301.67	Trans. from	
Open account		Reserve Fund	\$400.00

ELECTRIC STREET LIGHTS

Payments	\$6,737.40	Appropriation	\$6,949.00
Bal. to Revenue	161.60		
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	\$6,949.00		

PARK COMMISSION

Payments	\$487.96	Appropriation	\$500.00
Bal. to Revenue	12.04		
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	\$500.00		

OUTSIDE POOR

Payments	\$7,435.23	Appropriation	\$6,500.00
Bal. to Revenue	46.71	Int. from	
	<hr/>	Caleb Chase fund	481.94
	\$7,481.94	Trans. from	
		Reserve Fund	500.00
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			\$7,481.94

Groceries, provisions, etc.	\$5,494.29
Fuel	541.68
Board and care	56.00
Rent	547.00
Medical aid	140.14
State Institution	541.12
Burial	100.00
Legal aid	15.00
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	\$7,435.23

POOR OF OTHER CITIES & TOWNS

Payments	\$1,839.10	Appropriation	\$2,000.00
Bal. to Revenue	160.90		
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	\$2,000.00		

STATE POOR

Payments	\$2,268.11	Appropriation	\$1,500.00
		Trans. from	
Bal. to Revenue	231.89	Reserve Fund	1,000.00
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	\$2,500.00		\$2,500.00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Payments	\$2,922.05	Appropriation	\$4,000.00
Bal. to Revenue	1,077.95		
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	\$4,000.00		

INFIRMARY

Payments	\$2,626.58	Appropriation	\$3,000.00
Bal. to Revenue	373.42		

\$3,000.00

Salary	\$ 720.00
Groceries & provisions	1,080.61
Clothing, etc.	124.57
Fuel & light	356.12
Telephone	22.65
Repairs & supplies	322.63
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	\$2,626.58

SOLDIER'S BENEFIT

Payments	\$155.98	Appropriation	\$500.00
Bal. to Revenue	344.02		

\$500.00

STATE AID

Payments	\$190.00	Appropriation	\$240.00
Bal. to Revenue	50.00		

\$240.00

SCHOOLS

Payments	\$39,979.45	Appropriation	\$40,000.00
Bal. to Revenue	20.55		

\$40,000.00

BROOKS LIBRARY

Payments	\$966.18	Appropriation	\$700.00
Bal. to Revenue	115.29	Trans. from	
	<hr/>	Dog Tax	381.47
	\$1,081.47		<hr/>
			\$1,081.47

Librarians	\$229.25
Janitor	104.00
Books & magazines	474.56
Transporting books	77.50
Fuel and light	30.64
Repairs & incidentals	50.23
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	\$966.18

HARWICHPORT LIBRARY

Payments	\$297.53	Appropriation	\$300.00
Bal. to Revenue	2.47		
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	\$300.00		

CHASE LIBRARY

Payments	\$300.00	Appropriation	\$300.00
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1932 UNPAID BILLS

Payments	\$775.19	Appropriation	\$800.00
Bal. to Revenue	24.81		
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	\$800.00		

SPECIAL STREET LIGHT APPROPRIATION

Payments	\$25.50	Appropriation	\$25.50
J. H. Woodward		\$ 8.50	
H. G. Stanwood		17.00	
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		\$25.50	

TOWN REPORTS

Payments	\$335.00	Appropriation	\$335.00
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INSURANCE

Payments	\$1,104.04	Appropriation	\$1,600.00
Bal. to Revenue	495.96		
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	\$1,600.00		

ADVERTISING

Payments	\$201.60	Appropriation	\$300.00
Bal. to Revenue	98.40		
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	\$300.00		

MEMORIAL & ARMISTICE DAY

Payments	\$350.00	Appropriation	\$350.00
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BASEBALL

Payments	\$2,000.00	Appropriation	\$2,000.00
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PLANTING SOFT SHELL CLAMS

No payments	1930 Appropriation	\$200.00
Open account		

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE TAX

Payments	\$746.00	Assessment	\$746.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts		\$746.00	

STATE & COUNTY TAX

Payments	\$21,915.75	Assessment	\$21,915.75
County of Barnstable		\$12,371.72	
Commonwealth of Mass.		9,544.03	
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		\$21,915.75	

FIRE DEPARTMENT HOSE

Payments	\$441.00	Appropriation	\$500.00
Bal. to Revenue	59.00		
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	\$500.00		

JUNIOR COMMUNITY BAND

Payments	\$200.00	Appropriation	\$200.00
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TRUCK FOR HIGHWAY DEPT.

Payments	\$845.00	Appropriation	\$900.00
Bal. to Revenue	55.00		
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	\$900.00		

ANNIE HANDLER CASE

Payments	\$1,794.40	Appropriation	\$2,000.00
Bal. to Revenue	205.60		
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	\$2,000.00		

DIVING FLOATS

Payments	\$148.52	Appropriation	\$200.00
Bal. to Revenue	51.48		
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	\$200.00		

WEST HARWICH JETTY CONSTRUCTION

Payments	\$400.00	Appropriation	\$400.00
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WYCHMERE HARBOR LIGHTS

Payments	\$64.17	Appropriation	\$75.00
Bal. to Revenue	10.83		
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	\$75.00		

HERRING BROOK

Payments	\$198.00	Appropriation	\$200.00
Bal. to Revenue	2.00		
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	\$200.00		

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Paid for			
care of lots	\$437.27	Int. received	\$437.27

BROOKS MEDAL

Paid for medals	\$57.52	Int. received	\$57.52
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RESERVE FUND

Payments	\$3,922.31	Appropriation	\$2,000.00
Bal. to Revenue	.68	Trans. from	
	<hr/>	Surplus Overlay	1,922.99
	\$3,922.99		<hr/>
			\$3,922.99

Cistern account	\$ 388.56
Snow	908.75
Treasurer's expense	125.00
State Poor	1,000.00
Outside Poor	500.00
Suppression of Crime	600.00
Special Truck account	400.00
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	\$3,922.31

REFUNDS

Beer license	\$45.75
Real estate tax	\$42.20
Excise tax	\$86.93

JABEZ W. CROWELL.
 CHARLES D. HOLMES,
 GERSHOM D. HALL,
 Selectmen.

FRANKLIN D. UNDERWOOD,
 Town Accountant.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

TAXES — 1928

Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1932	\$	3.37
Collected in 1933		3.37

TAXES — 1929

Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1932	\$	11.55
Collected by tax title sale		11.55

TAXES — 1930

Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1932	\$	450.37
Collected in 1933	\$370.12	
Abatements	31.75	
Collected by tax title sale	26.00	427.87
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Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1933	\$	22.50
Trans. from 1931 Overlay	\$31.75	
Abatements in 1933	31.75	

TAXES — 1931

Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1932	\$	14,301.80
Collected in 1933	\$12,666.51	
Abatements	1,020.14	
Collected by tax title sale	352.35	14,039.00
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Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1933	\$	262.80
Bal. Overlays Dec. 31, 1932	\$6,233.02	
Abatements in 1933	\$1,020.14	
Trans. to 1930 Overlay	31.75	1,051.89
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Bal. Overlays Dec. 31, 1933	\$5,181.13	

TAXES — 1932

Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1932		\$ 41,059.12
Collected in 1933	\$23,034.12	
Abatements	278.04	
Collected by tax title sale	323.31	23,635.47
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Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1933		\$ 17,423.65
Bal. Overlays Dec. 31, 1932	\$3,857.71	
Abatements in 1933	278.04	
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Bal. Overlays Dec. 31, 1933	\$3,579.67	

TAXES — 1933

Amount of Warrant		\$111,292.09
Collected	\$73,545.93	
Abatements	423.65	73,969.58
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Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1933		\$ 37,322.51
Overlay for 1933	\$3,480.32	
Abatements	423.65	
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Bal. Overlay Dec. 31, 1933	\$3,056.67	

POLL TAX — 1933

Amount of Warrant	\$ 1,478.00
Collected	882.00
Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1933	\$ 596.00

MOTH TAX — 1930

Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1932	\$ 1.95
Abatement	1.95

MOTH TAX — 1931

Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1932	\$47.60	
Re-assessed	2.85	50.45
Collected in 1933	\$34.85	
Abatements	5.30	40.15
Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1933		\$ 10.30

MOTH TAX — 1932

Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1932	\$ 208.75
Collected in 1933	142.55
Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1933	\$ 66.20

MOTH TAX — 1933

Amount of Warrant	\$ 848.15
Collected	600.15
Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1933	\$ 248.00

EXCISE TAX — 1931

Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1932	\$ 694.65
Collected in 1933	\$337.68
Abatements	318.76
Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1933	\$ 38.21

EXCISE TAX — 1932

Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1932	\$ 2,555.92
Collected in 1933	\$1,825.22
Abatements	133.26
	1,958.48
Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1933	\$ 597.44

EXCISE TAX — 1933

Amount of Warrant		\$	6,487.05
Collected	\$4,544.91		
Abatements	200.04		4,744.95
Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1933		\$	1,742.10

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE TAX — 1931

Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1932	\$96.00		
Auditor's commitment	2.00		98.00
Collected in 1933		\$	98.00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE TAX — 1932

Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1932	\$	363.00
Collected in 1933		307.50
Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1933	\$	55.50

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE — 1933

Amount of Warrant	\$	746.00
Collected		427.00
Bal. uncollected Dec. 31, 1933	\$	319.00

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash balance Jan. 1, 1933	\$ 43,786.56
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Receipts:

Hearings	4.00
Licenses	887.00
2d District Court fines	277.95
Town Clerk's fees	87.85
Exchange building	795.00
Use of fire truck	117.87
From individuals a/c dredging Herring River	160.00
Sale of land under Art. 25	200.00
County of Barnstable — Dog tax	381.47
State—Tuberculosis div.	811.43
Vocational Aid	45.00
Old Age Assistance	632.85
Corporation tax	1,649.71
Income tax	8,745.00
Bank tax	132.83
Temporary aid	1,271.48
Soldiers' aid	240.00
Welfare	642.70
Federal Relief	1,100.70
Other Cities & Towns—Welfare	1,511.71
Individuals—Welfare	360.25
City of Boston—Tuition	1,070.70
Brooks Library—Rent	610.00
Interest on Caleb Chase fund	481.94
Interest on Cemetery funds	437.27
Interest on taxes	2,240.98
Interest on deposits	146.36
Interest on Brooks Medal fund	57.52

Taxes—1928	3.37
1930	370.12
1931	12,666.51
1932	23,034.12
1933	73,545.93
Poll taxes—1933	882.00
Old Age Assistance tax—1931	98.00
Old Age Assistance tax—1932	307.50
Old Age Assistance tax—1933	427.00
Excise tax—1931	337.68
Excise tax—1932	1,825.22
Excise tax—1933	4,544.91
Moth tax—1931	34.85
Moth tax—1932	142.55
Moth tax—1933	600.15
Charges on overdue taxes	362.04
Refunds on a/c of overcharges	42.80
Telephone toll calls	2.40
Cash over	10.66
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	\$188,123.94
Town orders drawn by Selectmen	145,680.62
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Balance Dec. 30, 1933.	\$ 42,443.32

EDWIN K. BEARSE

Treasurer.

FRANKLIN D. UNDERWOOD

Accountant.

BENJAMIN D. ELDREDGE TRUST FUND

No withdrawals	Bank balance Jan. 1, 1933	\$ 303.57
	Int. to Oct. 1933	10.69
		<hr/> \$ 314.26

BROOKS MEDAL FUND

Interest withdrawn	\$57.52 Bank balance Jan. 1, 1933	\$1,301.05
	Int. to Oct. 1933	44.93
		<hr/> \$1,345.98
	Withdrawal	57.52
		<hr/> \$1,288.46

TOWN OF HARWICH
BALANCE SHEET DECEMBER 31, 1933.

ASSETS

Cash on hand	\$ 42,443.32
Due from Tax 1930	22.50
1931	262.80
1932	17,423.65
1933	37,322.51
Poll Tax 1933	596.00
Moth Tax 1931	10.30
1932	66.20
1933	248.00
Excise Tax 1931	38.21
1932	597.44
1933	1,742.10
Old Age Assistance Tax 1932	55.50
1933	319.00
Due from State Aid	190.00
State Dept. Public Health	383.40
Tax titles	713.21
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	\$102,434.14

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LIABILITIES

Balance Overlay 1928	\$ 3.37
1929	11.55
1931	5,181.13
1932	3,579.67
1933	3,056.67
Mosquitoes	1,000.00

Brooks Road to Earl Road	300.00
Bound Stones & Survey	210.00
West Harwich Beach	125.00
Planting Soft Shell Clams	200.00
Special Truck Account	98.33
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	13,765.72
Excess of assets over liabilities	88,668.42
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	\$102,434.14

DOG LICENSES — 1933

125 Males @ \$2.	\$250.00
31 Females @ \$5.	155.00
40 Spayed Females @ \$2.	80.00
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Total Received	\$485.00
Fees paid Town Treasurer, 196 Licenses @ .20	39.20
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Net paid Town Treasurer	\$445.80

Henry K. Bearse, Town Clerk.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE CALEB CHASE FUND

INTEREST ACCOUNT

December 30, 1933

	Dr.	Cr.
Received Interest for the year	\$ 498.88	\$
Paid Interest to Overseers Public Welfare		481.94
Paid Interest on New 1000. Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. Bond		16.94
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	\$ 498.88	\$ 498.88

Treasurer for Trustees in acc't with Fund

December 30, 1933

	Dr.	Cr.
Received for Boston & Albany R. R. Bond	\$ 1,000.00	\$
Paid \$1,000. Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. 5% Bond Due 1960		977.78
Paid C. C. F. C. Savings Bank Deposit		22.22
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	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00

STATEMENT OF INVESTMENTS

December 30, 1933

1000. Middlesex & Boston St. Ry. Due 1942 5½ %	\$ 950.00
1000. Mass. Gas Co. Due May 1955 5%	862.50
1000. Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. Due 1946 5%	980.00

3000. U. S. Liberty Loan Due 1933-38 4 1-4%	2,892.88
10 Shares W. L. Douglas Shoe Co. Pref. 7%	942.50
2000 Boston Elevated St. Ry. Due Aug. 1957 6 ½ %	2,000.00
C. C. F. C. Savings Bank Deposit	481.55
1000 Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. Due Jan. 1960 5%	977.78
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	\$10,087.21

Respectfully submitted,

Walter Emery
John T. Wood
Theophilus B. Baker
Joseph B. Atkins
Earl B. Eldredge
J. Freeman Ryder

Trustees Caleb Chase Fund.

I, the undersigned Accounting Officer of the Town of Harwich have this day examined the books and vouchers of the Treasurer for the Trustees of the Caleb Chase Fund and found the same correct.

December 30, 1933.

Approved

FRANKLIN D. UNDERWOOD

Accountant

REPORT OF CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Year Ending December 31st, 1933

Cemetery	Principal	Interest Expended	Amount On Hand
William E. Ansell, W. H.	\$ 100.00	\$	\$ 103.52
Love C. Atwood, H. C.	150.00	6.00	184.95
Mrs. Cyrus Baker, H. C.	100.00	2.50	107.93
Richard Baker, H. P.	100.00	4.00	125.27
Mrs. Sarah M. Baker, W. H.	50.00	1.75	50.17
Chas. T. A. Bent fund			
D. H. Smith Lot, H. C.	5,000.00	172.00	5,051.40
Henry C. Berry, W. H.	100.00	3.50	100.33
James C. Berry, W. H.	100.00	3.50	100.33
James Berry, Sr., W. H.	100.00	3.50	100.33
Emma J. Briggs, N. H.	50.00		54.87
Alpheus Cahoon, N. H.	75.00	3.00	75.88
Elvira R. Cahoon, H. C.	125.00	5.00	131.57
Myra L. Cahoon, N. H.	200.00	8.00	211.71
Caleb Chase, W. H.	300.00	10.50	304.76
Ruth S. Cook, H. C.	50.00	2.00	55.42
William F. Crapo, H. C.	150.00	25.00	197.04
Henry T. Crosby, H. C.	200.00	21.80	203.85
James B. Doane, H. P.	100.00	3.50	100.33
Lewis B. Doane, H. P.	50.00	2.00	50.29
Lawrence Doyle, H. C.	50.00		62.36
Charles W. Dunton, H. C.	25.00	1.50	25.25
Ebenezer Eldridge, H. C.	100.00	2.70	113.88
Isaac B. Eldridge, S. H.	200.00	7.20	231.04
Isaiah K. Eldridge, W. H.	100.00	3.50	100.33
Polly M. Eldridge, N. H.	50.00	3.72	51.76
Mrs. Nathan Foster, H. C.	250.00	8.95	258.45

Irene Hurd, H. C.	110.87	5.00	110.45
Mary T. Ives, H. P.	50.00	2.00	51.49
Mary Janes, W. H.	200.00	7.00	203.94
Baxter D. Kelley, W. H.	50.00	1.75	50.17
Benj. F. Kelley, W. H.	75.00	2.25	75.52
Eunice B. Kelley, H. P.	100.00	4.00	160.23
Alonzo Kendrick, S. H.	100.00		113.75
Mary B. Kendrick, H. P.	100.00	7.00	100.27
Albert D. Long, H. P.	50.00	4.00	57.35
Clara M. Long, W. H.	50.00	1.75	50.17
Levi C. Long, H. C.	200.00		225.96
Elizabeth Loveland, H. C.	25.00		25.44
Anthony S. Megathlin, H. C.	100.00	4.00	102.21
Samuel J. Miles, S. H.	75.00	3.60	76.97
James McLean, H. C.	50.00	2.00	51.42
Geo. W. Nickerson, S. H.	200.00	1.80	213.38
Henry Nickerson, W. H.	50.00	1.75	56.10
Henry Nickerson, W. H.	50.00		52.42
Huldah Nickerson, H. C.	50.00		51.76
Ann J. Norris, W. H.	100.00		103.52
Old M. E. Church Cem., E. H.	500.00	29.00	509.26
A. Overbaugh, E. H. and			
Jos. L. Butler, H. C.	200.00	4.50	218.60
Henry J. Reed, H. P.	51.00	2.00	51.49
Susan D. Shaw, H. P.	50.00	1.75	50.01
Burgess T. Simmons, H. P.	100.00	4.00	113.16
Samuel Small, E. H.	75.00		84.34
Samuel Small, E. H.	50.00		59.28
Daniel H. Smith, H. C.	100.00		112.09
Augustus C. Snow, H. C.	100.00	14.00	120.62
Franklin Snow, H. P.	100.00	4.00	101.51
Herbert F. Snow, H. C.	200.00	6.00	210.21
Levi Snow, H. P.	50.00	2.00	50.09
Lucy E. Underwood, H. C.	150.00		196.20
Nathan Underwood, H. C.	200.00	3.00	228.72
Jonathan B. Young, H. P.	75.00	14.00	99.88

REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the:

Honorable Board of Selectmen

Town of Harwich, Mass.

I hereby submit my first annual report as Chief of Police for the year ending December 31, 1933.

I would like to state at the beginning of this report that Harwich was the scene of a major crime during the past year. "The McMath Kidnapping Case". It was this Department that gathered such a mass of evidence that brought about the conviction of the guilty party. During this time the local officers were detailed to accompany the State Police on certain investigations, as nearly all were total strangers to the Cape. The work of this Department on this case was commended by General Needham in his letter to the Selectmen of Harwich, on May 25, 1933; who stated in part, "Chief Hall and his Police Officers were 100 per cent co-operative and we have nothing but the greatest praise for their assistance in working out the solution of this case".

During the cranberry strike Patrolmen were patrolling the different districts in cars and were stationed at the different bogs in town where trouble was expected, however, there was no serious trouble at the many bogs in town, except one, and the Harwich Officers very ably took care of it.

In the coming year it is my desire to equip this Department with a complete finger print system. During the past year I have purchased (at my own expense) some of the equipment for this very important work and before the end of 1934, I expect to have the complete system working 100 per cent.

I would also like at this time to take the opportunity to thank Dr. Harold F. Rowley of Harwich, for his splendid co-operation in the instructions he gave this Department in the First Aid to the injured.

Since this Department was established February 15, 1933, the night patrol has, in my opinion prevented a lot of crime, as the records of previous years will show, and when this department is fully equipped, it will give to the public more efficient service.

Following is the list of cases brought before the 2nd. District Court:

Automobile violations	16
Assault and Battery	16
Arson	1
Disturbing the Peace	2
Drunk	39
Keeping and Exposing Liquor	1
Larceny	5
Larceny by check	5
Vagrants	1
Non-support	5
Neglected children	10
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Total	101
Sentenced to House of Correction	5
Sentenced to State Farm	4
Sentenced to Westboro	1
Arrested by State Police	
Kidnaping	1
Extortion	1
Drunk	2
Automobile Violations	7
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Total	11

Automobile accidents investigated	12
Arrest and summons for other Towns	9
Buildings found open (Stores)	20
Disabled cars towed or assisted	9
Distance covered by Automobiles	miles 34,585
Investigations	59
Summer Homes inspected	208
Summer Homes found open	12
Persons killed by Automobiles	4
Persons injured by Automobiles	7

Persons confined in lockup

Harwich Police	43
Dennis Police	5
State Police	1

Total	49
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Permits to sell Second Hand Automobiles	36
Light tags given out by Harwich Police	57
Search Warrants served	8
Automobiles stolen and recovered	2
Persons missing and found	5
Investigations of Sudden Deaths	3

Respectfully submitted,

EMULOUS E. HALL

Chief of Police

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF BROOKS LIBRARY

To the citizens of the Town of Harwich:

Our Library is constantly growing and serving more people each year.

This year our circulation has been 12,500, an increase of nearly 4000 over last year. The circulation through our transportation system to North Harwich, East Harwich and South Harwich has been 2252.

About twenty-five of the best and most popular magazines are on our reading table, and are read and enjoyed by many.

Through the George W. Nickerson Fund we have bought two large volumes this year, namely:— Cambridge History of English Literature, 15 vols., and History of North America, 12 vols. Besides these we have also bought about ninety non-fiction books. This Fund enables us to have the best non-fiction books published, and these are the books that build a worth while library.

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of a check of ten dollars given our Librarian by Mrs. Bernard W. Andrews. With this money we have bought one of the Rogers group of statuary which we did not have. This makes our Rogers collection nearly complete and one of the best to be found.

Respectfully submitted,

Mildred B. Paine,
Madeleine J. Crowell,
Hillary M. LeClaire,

Trustees.

LIST OF JURORS — 1933

Name	Occupation	Residence
William J. Abbott,	Painter	So. Harwich
Joseph B. Atkins,	Cranberry Grower	Pleasant Lake
James Baldwin,	Garage Mgr.	Harwich Port
Theophilus B. Baker,	Retired	Harwich Port
Bradford L. Barrett,	Electrician	Harwich Port
Joseph H. Barstow,	Gardner	No. Harwich
Earle W. Bascom,	Accountant	East Harwich
Benjamin C. Bassett,	Contractor	Harwich Port
Heman E. Bassett,	Mason	Harwich Center
Clarkson P. Bearse, Sr.,	Carpenter	Harwich Port
Otto P. Becker,	Mgr. Gas Station	So. Harwich
Evans Chandler,	Laborer	No. Harwich
Charles T. Chase,	Insurance Agt.	West Harwich
Gustavus H. Chase,	Laborer	West Harwich
Nathan Chase,	Laborer	West Harwich
Phillip H. Chase,	Plumber	West Harwich
John Condon,	Merchant	Harwich Center
Bertram D. Crosby,	Marble Worker	Harwich Center
Anthony E. Crowell,	Wood Carver	East Harwich
Cleon S. Crowell,	Wood Carver	East Harwich
Wilbur H. Crowell,	Drug Clerk	Pleasant Lake
Carroll F. Doane,	Cranberry Grower	Harwich Center
Earle B. Eldredge,	Painter	So. Harwich
Herbert F. Eldridge,	Carpenter	Harwich Center
Ralph W. Eldredge,	Laborer	Harwich Port
Samuel E. Eldredge,	Trucking	Harwich Center
William N. Eldredge,	Carpenter	Harwich Port
John E. Ellis,	Carpenter	West Harwich
Walter Emery,	Plumber	East Harwich
Charles F. Hall,	Cranberry Grower	North Harwich
Theodore C. Holmes,	Carpenter	East Harwich
Lawrence C. Homer,	Contractor	Harwich Port

Alfred L. Hunt, Chauffeur	Harwich Port
Alfred W. Johnson, Plumber	East Harwich
John N. Kelley, Retired	West Harwich
Arthur H. May, Farmer	Harwich Center
Alston D. McIntire, Carpenter	Harwich Center
Clifton F. Nickerson, Gardner	Harwich Port
Edgar F. Nickerson, Carpenter	East Harwich
Thomas H. Nickerson, Real Estate	Harwich Port
Earle A. Parker, Laborer	Harwich Center
Robert F. Pierce, Retired	East Harwich
Harold S. Pratt, Carpenter	Harwich Center
Preston A. Rogers, Agt. Animal Rescue League, W.	Harwich
Edwin P. Robbins, Retired	West Harwich
Lawrence B. Robbins, Artist	Harwich Center
Marshall Siebenmann, Mechanic	West Harwich
Norton F. Thomas, Retired	Harwich Port
Henry W. Thompson, School Committee	South Harwich
Frank H. Wetmore, Restaurant Mgr.	South Harwich
Robert A. Whiteley, Carpenter	East Harwich
Charles E. Wilbur, Occulist	East Harwich
John T. Wood, Mgr. Summer Camps	West Harwich

Grand Jurors Drawn March 11, 1933

Bertram D. Crosby William J. Abbott

Traverse Jurors

Norton F. Thomas Otto P. Becker

Traverse Jurors Drawn May 20th for Special Session of Superior Court — Kidnapping Case

Anthony E. Crowell

Lawrence B. Robbins Harold A. Thompson

Traverse Jurors Drawn September 15th

Joseph H. Barstow

Births Registered in the Town of Harwich 1933

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents	Resid'ce
Jan. 5	Richard Eugene Mills	Frederick John Mills Florence McGrady	H. P.
Jan. 13	Elwood Brett Allen, Jr.	Elwood Brett Allen Amy Frances Speight	H. C.
Jan. 14	Stillborn		
Feb. 21	Ruth Louise Perry	Joseph Perry Adeline E. Bassett	H. C.
Feb. 28	Mabel Galvin	Ayres Galvin Mary Baptist	Kelley St.
Mar. 12	Doris Julia Marcellino	John P. Marcellino Lucy L. Ramos	Gt. W. Rd.
Mar. 16	Lois Evelyn Small	Franklin George Small Fannie Lois Gebhard	S. H.
Mar. 24	Male		
Mar. 26	Molly Frances Lee	Cyrus C. Lee Avis M. Allen	S. H.
Apr. 19	John Roger William, Jr.	John Roger William Edith L. Crabe	P. L.
Apr. 23	John James Pena	John Pena Justina Gonsalves	Kelley St.
Apr. 27	James Allison Cummings, [Jr.]	James Allison Cummings Bernice M. Doane	W. H.
Apr. 29	Eleanor Langerer	Otto W. Langerer Margaret E. Quinn	H. P.
May 3	Mary Ann Pena	Frank A. Pena Rose Fortes	Q. Ann Rd.
May 3	John Paul Rose	Phillip Rose Adeline Pena	Gt. W. Rd.
May 16	Elizabeth Ann Smith	Gerald A. Smith Gladys J. Ellis	H. P.
May 23	Theodore Small	Laurence R. Small Eleanor Chase	H. P.
June 1	Ruth Lena Santos Thacher	Manuel S. Thacher Mary Raneo	Kelley St.
June 4	Robert Gilbert Pina	Rufus F. Pina Clara Silva	Q. Ann Rd.
June 7	Joyce Linnell	Ellery M. Linnell Ethel M. L. Chase	W. H.
June 13	Kenneth Edward Ramos	Joel Ramos Adeline Barlow	Gt. W. Rd.
June 16	Nancy Rowley Higgins	Albert Wesley Higgins Pauline M. Nickerson	E. H.

Births (continued)

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents	Resid'ce
June 24	Mary Verna Kennedy	William S. Kennedy Helen B. Hall	N. H.
July 10	Norman Roger Fleury	Adelard Fleury, Jr. Yvonne Vien	W. H.
July 19	Jeanette Oliver	Clarence E. Oliver Beatrice L. Ramos	New Bedf'd
July 20	Ruth Marie Sears	Raymond E. Sears Myrtle M. Higgins	E. H.
July 30	Grace Eleanor Tripp	Bernard F. Tripp Elaine Kendrick	H. P.
Aug. 7	Russell Calvin Bassett	Roger L. Bassett Madelyn A. Beaupre	H. C.
Aug. 13	Stillborn		
Aug. 24	Sylvia Joy Bearse	Henry W. Bearse Wilhelmina Doane	H. C.
Sept. 1	Elliott Gibson Swift	Everett G. Swift Ethelma S. Bearse	H. P.
Sept. 5	Marguerite Helen Cahoon	Archilus H. Cahoon Agnes M. Wilson	P. L.
Sept. 18	Rosamond Mary Vagenas	Nelos G. Vagenas Irene M. Stefanis	H. P.
Sept. 22	Ronald Manuel Silva	Emanuel G. Silva Jennie Gonsalves	E. H.
Sept. 23	Kathryn Ruth Rodrick	John F. Rodrick Rose S. Rose	Kelley St.
Sept. 24	Donald D. Galvin	Adolph Galvin Katherine Jason	Q. Ann Rd.
Oct. 1	William Swift Johnson	George V. Johnson, Sr. Lydia T. Morris	N. H.
Oct. 10	Robert Davis Hall	Gershon D. Hall Mary E. Duke	H. C.
Oct. 11	Joseph Souza, Jr.	Joseph Souza Elvira Rose	Kelley St.
Oct. 13	James George Gomes, Jr.	James G. Gomes Annie Lopes	P. L. Ave.
Oct. 16	Virginia Lois Schenkelber- [ger	Harlow Schenkelberger Annie Muriel Grant	H. C.
Nov. 8	Donald Anibal Lopes	Anibal J. Lopes Mary Rose	Q. Ann Rd.
Nov. 17	Patricia Anne Snow	Robert Baker Snow Beverly Kendall	H. P.
Dec. 8	Ronald James Kendall	Reginald Pratt Kendall Lillian Q. Veinot	H. P.
Dec. 16	Donald Gomes	Frank Gomes Mary Rose	Gt. W. Rd.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Harwich

1933

Date	Names	Age	Residence
1932 Oct. 8	James A. Cummings Bernice M. Doane	21 20	W. Harwich Chatham, Mass.
1933			
Jan. 18	Robert L. Hammond	21	Bourne, Mass.
	Lisa Farham	30	W. Harwich
Feb. 9	Earle D. Fox	30	Harwich Port
	Beatrice T. White (Metzel)	26	Highland Pk. Ill.
Feb. 24	Augustus Rose	49	Har., Q. Ann Rd.
	Erundina L. Pina (Leite)	25	Har., Q. Ann Rd.
Mar. 20	Earle B. Eldredge	41	So. Harwich
	Ethel C. Eldredge (Lee)	47	So. Harwich
May 5	Nathan Henry Smith	22	W. Harwich
	Edna Susan Bassett	20	Chatham, Mass.
May 8	Leon F. Stevens	39	Chatham, Mass.
	Lucy F. Ellis (Rogers)	45	Harwich Ctr.
May 22	Walter L. Wilson	21	Chatham, Mass.
	Catherine E. Cahoon	22	No. Harwich
May 29	Ulysses Sherman Davis	62	W. Harwich
	Jennie May Lawley (Park)	41	W. Harwich
June 14	Rufus Gray	60	No. Harwich
	Ethel M. Briggs (Hall)	57	Dennis, Mass.
June 24	Joseph Manton Bradley	21	Milton, Mass.
	Barbara Richardson	21	Brookline, Mass.
June 24	Joseph Webster Small	24	Osterville, Mass.
	Dorothy Mae Small	22	Harwich Ctr.
June 24	Ross J. McClelland	54	Dobbs Ferry, N.Y.
	Hazel E. Orcutt (Elwell)	38	Rye, N. Y.
June 25	Aubrey Elmer Wry	26	No. Easton, Mass.
	Mildred Leonard Soule	23	W. Harwich
July 1	George C. Look	69	Woods Hole, Mass
	Lillian Doane	61	Harwich Port
July 18	Delbert J. Hill	32	Hyannis, Mass
	Priscilla C. Hall	22	Harwich Ctr.
July 29	Elton A. Tripp	25	Milton, Mass.
	Anastina Farham	22	W. Harwich
July 31	James G. Gomes	22	Har., P. L. Ave.
	Annie C. Lopes	17	Har., Kelley St.
Aug. 26	John Souza Barros	19	Harwich Port
	Miriam Frances Baker	18	Harwich Port

Marriages—(Continued)

Date	Names	Age	Residence
Aug. 26	George V. Johnson, Jr.	18	No. Harwich
	Myra L. Cahoon	16	No. Harwich
Sept. 4	William P. Barnes	68	W. Harwich
	Flora Lynch (Willis)	52	W. Harwich
Sept. 12	William B. Cunningham	25	W. Harwich
	Juliet Forten	27	Middletown, Conn.
Oct. 3	Walter C. Fiebelkorn	27	E. Harwich
	Mary Sherwood (Young)	30	Chatham, Mass.
Oct. 5	Kenneth C. Dottridge	31	Cotuit, Mass.
	Mary K. Wheaton	24	Osterville, Mass.
Oct. 7	Wellington L. Kelley	20	Dennis, Mass.
	Edith E. Bassett	20	Harwich Ctr.
Nov. 5	Richard W. McGran	74	Harwich Ctr.
	Mary Elizabeth Ellis	56	Brewster, Mass.
Dec. 23	Manuel Viera	40	Har., Q. Ann Rd.
	Evelyn G. Gonsalves	20	Har., Orleans Rd.
Dec. 25	Percy Manning Bartlett	33	Boston, Mass.
	Elizabeth L. Pena (Ramos)	37	Harwich Ctr.
Dec. 30	Daniel John McCarthy	28	Orleans, Mass.
	Mary Ellen Kiley	27	Orleans, Mass.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Harwich — 1933

Date	Name of Deceased	Age		Cause of Death	Residence
		Y.	M. D.		
1932					
Sept. 4	Samuel J. Smith	70	5 14	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Harwich Center
Oct. 8	Ralph F. Gorham	53	8 7	Arterio Sclerosis	Harwich Port
1933					
Jan. 13	Charles H. Cahoon	61	5 24	Thrombosis (dropped	Pleasant Lake
Jan. 14	Nickerson	..	..	Stillborn [dead)	East Harwich
Jan. 14	Lucinda B. Rogers	93	2 6	Arterio Sclerosis	North Harwich
Jan. 21	Jennie Morse	31	..	Influenza	New Bedford, Mass.
Jan. 25	Abbie F. Baker	85	9 30	Valvulor Heart Disease	Harwich Port
Jan. 31	Joseph N. Atkins	89	..	Angina Pectoris	Pleasant Lake
Feb. 1	Doris E. Bassett	8	10 12	Diphtheria	Harwich Center
Feb. 2	Cecelia F. Rogers	85	..	Malignant Dis. of Stomach	Harwich Center
Feb. 8	Jairus H. Allen	87	..	Carcinoma Colon	Harwich Port
Feb. 13	Joseph William Raymond	74	11 11	Ruptured Gall Bladder	Harwich Center
Feb. 19	James B. Baker	81	3 27	Organic Dis. of Heart	Harwich Port
Mar. 1	Nehemiah L. Saunders	71	10 13	Accident (Automobile)	Providence, R. I.
Mar. 3	Anna M. Doane	88	2 22	Lobar Pneumonia	Harwich Port
Mar. 5	Sarah B. Nickerson	63	5 21	Arterio Sclerosis	Harwich Center
Mar. 19	Cyrus B. Chase	72	6 9	Brights Disease	Harwich Center
Apr. 4	Francis H. Chase	76	6 13	Cerebral Embolism	West Harwich
Apr. 2	Joseph De Grace	60	3 26	Cerebral Hemorrhage	North Harwich
Apr. 27	Linwood F. Doane	72	3 17	Metrol Stenosis	Harwich Port
Apr. 27	William A. Parker	65	2 29	Chronic Nephritis	North Harwich
Apr. 27	James A. Cummings, Jr.	..	..	Stillborn	West Harwich
Apr. 29	Ellen D. Ellis	80	3 18	Myocarditis	West Harwich
May 1	Eleanor Langerer	..	..	Toxemia	Harwich Port

Deaths Registered in the Town of Harwich — Continued

Date	Name of Deceased	Age		Cause of Death	Residence
		Y.	M. D.		
May 3	Ella R. Harris	89	4	..	Thrombosis
May 4	Axel Jepson	66	..	..	Carcinoma of Stomach
May 14	Lawson Granville Frost	71	8	..	Arterio Sclerosis
June 4	Isaiah D. Ellis	80	8	11	Nephritis
June 8	Zebina B. Chase	93	6	26	Senility
June 16	Davis C. Phillips	80	7	25	Carcinoma of Cecum
June 17	Nancy Rowley Higgins	..	..	1	Atelectasis
June 25	Frank N. MacLeod	67	..	21	Arterio Sclerosis
June 22	Lucille J. Larson	26	8	27	Myocarditis, Acute
July 1	Michael Katz	38	2	19	Accidental Drowning
July 3	Eileen May Hall	2	6	25	Accident. (Automobile)
July 5	Nina Althea Ross	59	11	18	Nephritis
July 15	Herbert E. Chase	16	..	13	Accident, (Automobile)
July 21	Albert Wesley Higgins	39	9	15	Struck by Lightning
July 31	Cyrus C. Lee	43	5	8	Accidental Drowning
July 31	George F. Crowell	84	1	10	Senile Gangrene
Aug. 5	Sarah Abbie Cahoon	79	9	5	Senile Gangrene
Aug. 5	Love C. Cole	66	4	21	Arterio Sclerosis
Aug. 11	Lettuce N. Chase	73	..	15	Cerebral Hemorrhage
Aug. 13	..... Grant	..	..	..	Stillborn
Aug. 14	Harriet B. Ellis	92	3	22	Senile Dementia
Aug. 21	Charles R. Clark	78	2	22	Cerebral Hemorrhage
Aug. 22	Augustus Pena	45	..	..	Syphilis
Aug. 27	Joseph W. Bassett	62	9	12	Broncho Pneumonia
Aug. 28	Frederick Parker	66	3	3	Diabetis
Aug. 29	Clarence A. Ghen	60	8	6	Brain Tumor
					West Harwich
					Harwich Port
					West Harwich
					West Harwich
					East Harwich
					West Harwich
					East Harwich
					Providence, R. I.
					Harwich Port
					Port Chester, N. Y.
					Harwich Port
					East Harwich
					East Harwich
					East Harwich
					South Harwich
					South Harwich
					Pleasant Lake
					West Harwich
					Harwich Port
					Harwich Center
					South Harwich
					East Harwich
					Harwich Center
					Harwich Center
					Harwich Port
					Buz. Bay, Bourne, Mass.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Harwich — Continued

Date	Name of Deceased	Age		Cause of Death	Residence
		Y.	M. D.		
Aug. 29	Gilbert W. Robbins	84	2 11	Arterio Sclerosis	North Harwich
Sept. 2	Mabel L. Little	67	5 9	Arterio Sclerosis	New Bedford, Mass.
Sept. 25	Sarah N. Nickerson	82	10 ..	Cerebral Arterio Sclerosis	Harwich Port
Sept. 26	George L. Small	49	9 8	Carcinoma of Kidney [sis	South Harwich
Sept. 26	Uriel D. Phillips	72	5 24	Cirrhosis of Liver	Harwich Port
Sept. 29	Phillip Rose, Jr.	1	11 10	Accidental Burns	Harwich Center
Oct. 6	Margaret E. Langerer	37	.. 29	Phthisic Pulmonary	Harwich Port
Oct. 22	Eliza H. Morrill	67	5 18	Dropped Dead	West Harwich
Oct. 13	Hazel M. Eldredge	35	3 26	Diabetic Coma	Harwich Center
Oct. 15	Frank Raneo	42	.. ..	Carcinoma of Stomach	North Harwich
Nov. 10	Raymond F. Bassett	32	7 13	Accident, (Automobile)	Harwich Center
Nov. 18	Fred L. Chase	42	6 7	Tuberculosis	Harwich Center
Nov. 24	Joseph R. Gilmette	..	10 12	Acute Bronchitis	Harwich Center
Nov. 27	Sarah C. Berry	79	11 20	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Harwich Port
Dec. 4	Judson B. Chase	84	.. 11	Found Dead in Bed	West Harwich
Dec. 9	Francis A. Small	83	.. 8	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Harwich Port
Dec. 11	Mary C. Bassett	81	1 18	Grip Cold	Harwich Center
Dec. 11	Ronald M. Silva	..	2 20	Pneumonia	Pleasant Lake
Dec. 18	Albert R. Howes	82	.. ..	Arterio Sclerosis	Dennisport, Mass.
Dec. 30	Joseph K. Robbins	80	3 10	Heart Dis., Sudden Death	Harwich Center

Bodies Brought to Harwich for Interment — 1933

Date	Name of Deceased	Age — Y M D			Cemetery
		Y	M	D	
Jan. 23	Alice M. Bearse Sisson, Chatham, Mass.	71	7	18	East Harwich
Feb. 12	Ethel M. Cahoon, Roslindale, Mass.	60	4	19	East Harwich
Feb. 15	Mary A. Chase, Mass. State Hospital	48	10	7	Island Pond, H. C.
Mar. 14	Harry S. Eldredge, Goffstown, N. H.	52	8	9	East Harwich
Apr. 5	Sarah Jane Randall, Braintree, Mass.	73	8	14	South Harwich
May 13	Leon F. Stevens, Chatham, Mass.	40	15	..	Island Pond, H. C.
May 18	Imogene S. Hatch, New Bedford, Mass.	86	2	14	Pine Grove, W. H.
June 16	Edward Lavoie, Chatham, Mass.	19	3	10	Catholic
June 27	John Adams Eldredge, New London, Conn.	70	8	9	South Harwich
July 6	Zidon C. Long, Nantucket, Mass.	67	7	5	Island Pond, H. C.
July 8	Melvina J. Smith, Cambridge, Mass.	74	7	..	East Harwich
July 26	Donald C. Brett, Brookline, Mass.	34	8	28	Island Pond, H. C.
July 27	Maude A. Crowell, Chatham, Mass.	58	11	27	South Harwich
Sept. 9	Estella F. Chase, Dennis, Mass.	75	..	11	Pine Grove, W. H.
Sept. 15	Obed E. Bassett, Chatham, Mass.	74	11	..	East Harwich
Sept. 17	Charles W. Chase, Orleans, Mass.	82	..	18	East Harwich
Oct. 5	Kosciusko Nickerson, Brewster, Mass.	86	8	2	East Harwich
Oct. 12	Annie M. Hyde, Bourne, Mass.	69	2	7	East Harwich
Oct. 28	Bertha W. Joslin, Worcester, Mass.	75	4	24	Mt. Pleasant, H. P.
Nov. 5	Freeman Higgins, Orleans, Mass.	90	10	22	East Harwich
Nov. 15	Arthur Marston Jerauld, Warwick, R. I.	78	1	2	East Harwich
Nov. 27	Delilah O'Brien, Barnstable, Mass.	71	..	9	Pine Grove, W. H.
Dec. 3	Karl F. Weber, Brewster, Mass.	34	8	21	East Harwich
Dec. 8	Mary Jane Kelley, Wareham, Mass.	82	4	4	Island Pond, H. C.
Dec. 15	Izette V. Smith, Boston, Mass.	86	9	17	Pine Grove, W. H.
Dec. 16	Richard J. Glendon, Chatham, Mass.	38	1	13	Catholic
Dec. 27	Charles B. Snow, Portland, Me.	55	1	6	Island Pond, H. C.
Dec. ..	Hepsabeth Bassett Cahoon, Onset-Wareham, Mass.	95	8	..	South Harwich

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT**FEBRUARY 5, 1934.**

Barnstable, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Harwich
in said County

Greetings:-

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in Elections and Town affairs to meet in Exchange Hall in said Town on Monday, Feb. 5th, 1934, at Nine O'clock A. M., then and there to act on the following Articles:-

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to Act at said Meeting.

Article 2. To choose on one ballot the following Town Officers and Committees: Town Clerk, Town Treasurer for one year; one Selectman, Overseer of Public Welfare and Board of Health for three years; one Assessor for three years; three Herring Committee for one year; one School Committee for three years; three Constables for one year, one Trustee of Brooks Library, for three years; one Park Commissioner for three years, one Park Commissioner for one year.

Article 3. To choose all other necessary Town Officers and Committees.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year, and act fully thereon.

Article 5. To hear the report of all Town Officers and Committees for the year 1933.

Article 6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town expenses for the ensuing year, and act fully thereon.

Article 7. To see if the town will vote to Instruct its Selectmen to control, regulate and prohibit the taking of Eels, Clams, Quahaugs and Scallops, within the Town limits as provided in Chapter 91, Section 85 and acts and amendments thereto to the revised Laws of Massachusetts and to make any regulations in regard to such fisheries as may be expedient, and act fully thereon.

Article 8. To see if the town will vote to erect and maintain two street lights on Park Street, Harwich Center, and to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money for this purpose. By request.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote that an appropriation be made for the erection and maintenance of two additional lights on Depot Road, West Harwich.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Seventy-five (\$175.) Dollars to continue with some hardening material the sidewalk from Francis P. Larkins' on Main Street, Harwich Center, easterly to the east driveway of Bernard W. Andrews, and act fully thereon.

Article 11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to purchase and supply the materials necessary to harden and improve the sidewalks on the west side of Bank Street, from the foot of Moody's Hill, so-called, in Harwich Center to Main Street in Harwichport, and act fully thereon.

Article 12. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of Twelve Hundred (\$1200.) Dollars; this sum to be used for the following purpose:- 1st. For the grading and improving the Town's land at the foot of Central Ave-

nue, on shore front. 2nd. For erecting retaining wall on front of said land. 3rd. The Selectmen shall cause to be erected on this land a covered outlook with cement floor. All the above work to be done in the year 1934.

Article 13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to brush out and put in passable condition the road known as John Joseph's Road, which was laid out by the town and accepted at a Town Meeting held on May 23, 1855; the original lines of said road to be run out and established, said road never having been discontinued.

Article 14. To see if the town will accept the land as a Public Way as shown by a Plan and Deed filed herewith at West Sequattom, Pleasant Lake, from the East Boundary of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to the East boundary of Jennie T. Moody's homestead lot as laid out by the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate One Thousand (\$1000.) Dollars for the improvement of the same.

Article 15. To see if the town will vote to accept the set of By-Laws as drawn up by the committee appointed at the last annual Town Meeting.

Article 16. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to make application to the proper court praying for a final disposition of the fund now held by the town known as the "Benjamin D. Eldredge Town Pump Trust Fund", the object of said trust fund having been removed and destroyed by previous vote of the town.

Article 17. To see if the town will vote for the appointment of a Fish and Game Warden as provided in Chapter 21, Section 7, of the General Laws of Massachusetts and raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.) Dollars for the salary of such warden.

Article 18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-five (\$25.) Dollars for the expense of an officer finding and disposing of unlicensed dogs, and act fully thereon.

Article 19. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of Three Hundred (\$300.) Dollars for the benefit of the Chase Library, West Harwich.

Article 20. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of Three Hundred (\$300.) Dollars for the benefit of the Harwichport Library Association.

Article 21. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed Twelve Hundred (\$1200.) Dollars, under the provisions of subsection 21 of Section 1 of Chapter 371 of the Acts of 1921. and any and all amendments thereof and additions thereto for the employing of a nurse through the Harwich Visiting Nurse Association, Inc.

Article 22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-five Hundred (\$2500.) Dollars to be used under the direction of the Selectmen for the promotion of public recreation and amusement in the form of Baseball, in accordance with Legislative Acts of 1930, Chapter 12, Section 1.

Article 23. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of One Hundred (\$100.) Dollars to defray the expense of the Stonehorse Club in promoting an All Cape Regatta during the summer season of 1934, this money to be spent under the direction of the Race Committee of said Club as seems best suited to bring the greatest possible number of visiting yachtsmen and yachts to the regatta.

Article 24. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred (\$300.) Dollars to pay part of the expense for the Washington Trip

of the Harwich High School Senior Class; this money to be expended under the supervision of Principal Paul A. Morris.

Article. 25. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred (\$700.) Dollars (in addition to the State Tax) for mosquito control, or do or act anything thereon. By request.

Article 26. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer to assign tax titles owned by the town.

Article 27. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of One Hundred Seventy-five (\$175.) Dollars to reimburse the Saybrook Dredging Company for work done at Wychmere Harbor.

Article 28. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of One Hundred (\$100.) Dollars to maintain the light at entrance of Wychmere Harbor.

Article 29. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.) Dollars to reimburse the Department of Public Works, as a contribution of the town toward the increased cost of dredging at Wychmere Harbor, and act fully thereon.

Article 30. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of One Thousand (\$1000.) Dollars, providing the Selectmen can get a contribution from the State and County, to complete the East jetty with stone at Allen's Harbor.

Article 31. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate One Thousand (\$1000.) Dollars to dredge Wychmere Harbor and channel to deep water, providing that the State and Federal Governments will contribute sufficient funds to complete the project, and act fully thereon.

Article 32. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred and Fifty (\$750.) Dollars, providing the state will contribute the same for the purpose of dredging out the entrance to the Round Cove at Pleasant Bay, and act fully thereon.

Article 33. To see if the town will vote to grant to the Chatham Water Company, a franchise to install a water system within the town limits; to lay water mains in accordance with plans already drawn by Chase & Gilbert; to rent at least one hundred (100) hydrants per year at a cost of not more than Fifty (\$50.) Dollars each; or to take any other action necessary in the matter and to raise and appropriate a sum of Five Thousand (\$5000.) Dollars therefor.

Article 34. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Hundred (\$1500.) Dollars to be used for the purchase of materials on C. W. A. projects, said money to be spent under the supervision of the Selectmen.

Article 35. To see if the town will vote to rescind the vote of the year 1927 whereby One Hundred and Twenty-five (\$125.) Dollars was appropriated for the improvement of the beach at West Harwich, said work having been completed with money from other sources, and that this amount revert back to the Town Treasury.

Article 36. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred (\$600.) Dollars to reimburse the Department of Public Works for dredging Herring River.

Article 37. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed Five Hundred (\$500.) Dollars to be paid to the Cape Cod Hospital for the es-

tablishment and maintenance of a free bed in the hospital for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Section 74, of Chapter 111 of the General Laws, or take any action in relation thereto, and act fully thereon.

Article 38. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.) Dollars for the use of Harwich Post, No. 292, American Legion, in the proper observance of Memorial Day and Armistice Day.

Article 39. To see if the town will accept the relocation of Pleasant Street between Lower County Road and Shore Road, West Harwich, as made by the Selectmen.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
AND THE
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
TOWN OF HARWICH
MASSACHUSETTS



FOR THE YEAR 1933

ORGANIZATION FOR THE YEAR 1933

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Ralph W. Doane, Chairman	Term expires 1935
Grace M. Fifield Nichols, Secretary	Term expires 1936
Henry W. Thompson, Treasurer	Term expires 1934

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Charles H. Pratt, A. M.

SCHOOL PHYSICIANS

H. F. Rowley, M. D.
John P. Nickerson, M. D.

SCHOOL NURSE

Hope Becker, R. N.

SUPERVISOR OF ATTENDANCE

John T. Wood

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

We submit, on the following pages, reports of the departmental heads of our school organization for the year 1933. These reports give a studied understanding of modern education to meet the practical and cultural tastes of all the students.

Superintendent Pratt's report of the physical condition in the high school states the facts mildly and should call for consideration of an emergency that may soon exist.

Health, education standards and efficiency have been as satisfactory as could be expected under present working conditions.

An appropriation from the C. W. A. has been used for interior painting and the school properties are in fairly good condition.

Respectfully submitted,

Ralph W. Doane,
Grace M. Fifield Nichols,
Henry W. Thompson,

School Committee.

HARWICH FINANCIAL STATEMENT

	Expenditures in 1933	Needed 1934
GENERAL CONTROL:		
Salaries	\$ 2,563.00	
Other Expenses	214.23	
	\$ 2,777.23	\$ 2,844.60
INSTRUCTION:		
Supervisors	1,600.00	
Principal & Teachers	23,358.75	
Textbooks	324.26	
Supplies	646.70	
	25,929.71	27,015.00
EXPENSES OF OPERATION:		
Janitors	2,000.00	
Fuel	1,339.82	
Miscellaneous	661.00	
	4,000.82	4,125.00
MAINTENANCE:		
Repairs, Replacement & Upkeep	1,416.51	
	1,416.51	500.00
AUXILIARY AGENCIES:		
Libraries	1.28	
Health	655.65	
Transportation	4,449.00	
Miscellaneous	184.35	
	5,290.28	5,524.00
OUTLAY:		
New Equipment	564.90	
	564.90	
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Total	\$39,979.45	\$40,008.60

NET COST OF SCHOOLS 1933

Total Expenditure in 1933		\$39,979.45
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Receipts and Reimbursements:

Commonwealth of Massachusetts		
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Tuition and Transportation	\$1,133.51	
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City of Boston Tuition and		
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Transportation	1,070.70	
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General School Fund Part	3,390.00	5,594.21
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Net Cost of Schools 1933		\$34,385.24
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Reimbursement for Vocational Education:

Tuition paid in 1932		\$45.00
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REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of the Town of Harwich:

Herewith I submit my fourth annual report as Superintendent of Schools and the thirty-first since the formation of the present School Union.

The year 1933 has been a very busy one in the schools. There has been no curtailment in the demand for service in this line. In fact during these critical years demands upon the schools have been even more exacting.

Total school membership has increased ten since a year ago while the membership in the high school has increased twenty-three. If reference is made to the table showing membership by grades it will be seen that the growth of the schools has been continuous over a period of years.

During the ten year period, 1924 to 1933 inclusive, the growth of the schools has been as follows:

	1924	1933	10 year Increase	Percent Increase
Total membership	318	532	214	67.3
Membership Gr. 1-6	216	341	125	57.8
Membership Gr. 7 and 8	47	91	44	93.6
Membership Gr. 9-12	55	100	45	81.

It is easy to understand the crowded condition which now prevails in the high school.

Two years ago this building was filled so that chairs in the laboratory had to be used for home room seats. Within the last two years thirty-four more have been added to the membership. In order to handle the numbers it has been necessary to narrow up aisles, fill space at the front and rear of rooms with seats, and restrict the width of

passageways to the extent that further increase would involve danger to health and safety. In case something is not done to relieve this situation, it will soon be necessary to start a double session day of approximately half time classes and double transportation.

We are fully aware of the serious financial crisis through which we have been passing. We are ready to endorse the policy that extravagance in education is never justified. Neither is preventable waste justifiable. Misuse of money is one form of waste. Misuse of time and misdirected effort are other forms. Let me call your thoughtful attention to waste through the loss of so many boys and girls who leave school before they have received their share of the benefits for which the school is being maintained. I refer you to the report of the Principal in which he shows that of 218 who have entered only 125 have graduated either here or elsewhere. It is time that provisions were made to provide for these people. Not only do they leave school but many, who through persistence and ambition, complete the courses offered would have profited more by a course in practical arts for which no provision can be made in our present school plant.

The interest shown and results achieved by the boys in wood working illustrates the point in question. Only a limited field can be covered as they meet once per week in the little shop about half the size of an ordinary class room. It is a beginning in the right direction.

Results obtained in the courses in music and drawing are evident. These can be seen and appreciated by the public on different occasions during the year. If we believe that education should contribute to the pleasure and profit of the individual and contribute toward the enjoyment of a richer life, then certainly music and art are of fundamental importance. If we have any of the so called fads or frills in our schools they are more likely

to be found in the older rather than in the more recently added high school subjects.

If age were an indication of need then certainly Latin is not sufficiently appreciated. The study of Greek has practically disappeared from high school courses. Thirty years ago these subjects were common. Two thousand years ago they were in general use. Things do change. Life and ways of living have and are changing rapidly. Our school system should be made to harmonize with conditions of the age. We should go even further. People in our schools today will live in a new environment later. So far as trends can be foreseen needs should be anticipated. If we educate for the world of yesterday we can not hope to fill the need tomorrow. An early revision of our high school course of study to include practical arts is greatly needed.

The interest of the public and the cooperation received by the schools during the past year is hereby acknowledged. This is one of the most tangible assets which a school system can have. It is fully appreciated by your school faculty. Let me express our desire to cooperate with all interested people in the growth and improvement of the educational opportunity.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. PRATT,
Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

To the Superintendent of Schools:

One of the chief aims of the New Deal of 1933 in our national life is to produce fresh opportunities for those citizens who have been excluded from their usual lines of endeavor under the old regime through circumstances beyond their control.

It is apparent on all sides that the old order has passed, and that we are now in the transitional period toward a new and different economic status. Those things which have appeared to be traditionally standard are, for a large number of persons, definitely changed, and every agency of our national organization is being mobilized to provide an opportunity for every potential worker to be actively engaged in a gainful pursuit.

That is to say, the economic organization which has for years been effective, is so no longer. A new deal is started, with the intention of making adjustments so that the needs of the citizens will be cared for, with the ultimate end the betterment of the nation.

If this is true in our national life, is it true elsewhere? Is it true in the greatest single activity in the nation, public education? Is it true in the school in Harwich?

For years the town has maintained an excellent High School of the traditional New England kind. Emphasis has been placed on the college preparatory subjects, and to all intents and purposes, rightly so. In recent years, commercial branches have been added for those pupils who were interested in secretarial studies.

Now, the question arises, does this sort of training answer the needs of the town for its young people? Do the majority of the pupils go to college? If so, the town

needs to continue emphasis on college preparatory work. Do great numbers of the pupils follow secretarial work? If so, great emphasis should be given the course. But what about those who do not complete the high school course? Are their needs properly attended to?

I believe that it is for the best interests of the town to have an educated citizenry. I believe that every child should be given an opportunity to graduate from the high school, and study the things which will be of benefit to him, and which he can master. My experience is that many pupils do not take kindly to the traditional school subjects, are unable to master them, leave school, and so are denied equal opportunity with those who do like and can do the traditional work.

My contention is that the town should endeavor to do something in the future, in the spirit of the New Deal, for those who would otherwise exclude themselves from the school system.

Let us look at the record, and see what the situation, in regard to high school pupils, has been, and apparently is.

In the classes of the last ten years, that is, beginning with the class which graduated in 1924, 218 children have entered as pupils. Of these 218, only 90 have graduated. On the face of these figures, the record looks small. In addition to those who have graduated here, 25 have moved from town and completed their course and 10 have transferred to private schools and have done the same. That is, 218 have entered, and 125 have graduated.

The pertinent question which I want to ask is: Has the town done all that it could, or given every opportunity possible to the 93 pupils who entered and did not graduate?

In further study of the record I find that of these 93, 40 stayed in school one year or less, 23 left the second

year, 20 left the third year, and 10 left during the fourth year. The record further shows that of those 93 leaving, a considerable number failed to do satisfactory work in the studies attempted.

Now you may ask, is there still a large number of pupils who leave school? From this year's senior class 13 have left. Of these 9 have transferred to other schools. In eight of these cases the family has moved from town. 4 left for other reasons. Ten have left the junior class, 5 have moved out of town, one died, and four have gone for other reasons.

In my opinion, the school should offer an additional course, which would be of such practical benefit to those pupils, who, through lack of adjustment, leave school, that they would remain in school and graduate thereby making themselves better citizens of the town.

Such a course would necessarily reduce book work to a minimum, and would embrace LEARNING BY DOING.

I am suggesting a tentative outline for such a course, and calling attention to a few of its features.

Two of the greatest stumbling blocks in the existing courses are: higher mathematics, and foreign languages. In the suggested course, these would be eliminated. The course includes: four years of English, of a kind that has a practical connection to the new subject matter; two years of general science, one of which we have, and the second a non-mathematical study of the practical applications of chemistry and physics as they apply to everyday life; three years of typing; two years of practical arts, home economics for girls, and various kinds of shop training for boys; three years of current history, or an understanding of the world about us; music, and drawing, which I consider extremely practical in our new life.

In detail the course would be as follows:

First Year

English
Junior Business Training
General Science
Civics and Occupations
Music and Drawing

Second Year

English
General Science
Typing
Current History
Music and Drawing

Third Year

English
Practical Arts
Typing
Economics - Current History
Music and Drawing

Fourth Year

English
Practical Arts
Typing
American Hist. & Gov't.
Current History
Music and Drawing

I realize that such an extensive addition to the course of study cannot be achieved immediately. There are many factors which effect the change. It will mean a considerable increase in physical facilities such as room and equipment.

Yet I submit it for your consideration, as I believe that such an addition will make for the benefit of the entire town, through prolonging the school life of the young people. To my mind a more completely educated citizenry is to our advantage.

Respectfully submitted,

Paul A. Morris,

Principal.

REPORT OF DRAWING SUPERVISOR

To the Superintendent of Schools of the Town of Harwich:

I have visited all classes in the Elementary and Junior High School once a week and have outlined at that time a lesson for the grade teacher to complete during the week.

I have always felt that it was vitally necessary that the teacher of the subject of Art or Drawing should take special pains to make the subject as interesting as possible. Realizing that certain phases of the work would be more attractive to one child than to another I have brought into the class work a variety of exercises which appeal in some part to each and every pupil and in their entirety to many.

This has been accomplished through cut and paste work, design, crayon, charcoal and pen and ink work. Recognizing the value of special work to stimulate the interest of the pupils, the work was planned along the lines that each holiday held something of particular interest which could be brought out through the medium of the drawing class. The classes started in the Junior High School during the previous year in Mechanical Drawing which tied in with the Manual Training class has been continued on a satisfactory basis. The special class for the High School Boys in Mechanical Drawing has also been continued as has the special class for girls in freehand work, out door sketching, costume designing and portrait work.

Much favorable comment was aroused by the school exhibit held last Spring in the different Schools of Harwich. Our present plans contemplate a similar exhibit in the coming Spring.

The pupils generally have been interested and some have shown remarkable talent.

I would express my appreciation of the cooperation and effort of the teachers. This has been of material assistance in making the work successful.

Respectfully submitted,

Myrtle Mehaffey (Kennedy)

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF VOCAL MUSIC

To the Superintendent of Schools:

The work in vocal music has continued along much the same lines as in the previous two years. Each class is visited once a week by the Supervisor, and an outline of work to be done during the week is left with the grade teacher. Slight emphasis is being placed this year on memory work, an occasional song being learned so that the boys and girls can sing it at any time without their books. As before, rote songs are taught in the first and second grades, and note reading is introduced in the second year. It is continued from the second through the sixth grade, two-part singing being introduced in the fourth grade, and an occasional three-part song in the sixth.

The Junior High lessons are slightly different, however. A study of folk and national songs and tunes of the various countries is being made. This study includes the recognition of the tunes through hearing them; general familiarity with their word content with actual memorization of some of the most important and familiar ones; and some knowledge as to the origin and history of both words and tunes. Some part work is done on these songs, but the broad aim of the course in these two grades is to familiarize the boys and girls with the songs which are so well loved by the older people, and which are so worthy of being known. Notebooks with attractive covers which were made in art class under the supervision of Mrs. Myrtle Mehaffey are being assembled containing all this information plus illustrations of each song.

The High School chorus in Harwich presented the operetta "Tulip Time" this year. Much of the chorus work for this performance was done in the regular class period. A large percent of the chorus which sang in March

at the Cape Cod School Symphony Concert came from the Harwich group, while a smaller, selected group sang Christmas carols to shut-ins just before Christmas. Work continues with the boys' quartet, and a mixed double quartet from Harwich and Orleans took part in the Baccalaureate services in both towns in June. A real love of choral music seems to be developing among these young people which it is to be hoped they will carry with them for many years.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLOTTE PATCH,

Supervisor of Vocal Music

REPORT OF THE INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC SUPERVISOR

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Instrumental music instruction of the Harwich Schools is continuing to be of growing interest to parents and pupils. There are 45 pupils studying various orchestral and band instruments. The advanced orchestra numbers 30 members. This orchestra has appeared several times in various school, church, and public functions and met with appreciation on the part of the public.

Unlike other school subjects, music is brought constantly before the public. This public has the opportunity to discriminate and judge the results and see the progress attained from time to time. I am very happy to say that the most complimentary opinions have been expressed after each performance.

Plans are already under way for the annual concert which has always met with a great deal of interest on the part of the parents and music lovers. The outstanding players of the instrumental classes are becoming members of the Philharmonic Society, Cape Cod Junior Community Band and other organizations. By consent of Superintendent Pratt we have grown to such proportions, numerically as well as in quality, that we have adopted the idea of an orchestra made out of the pupils of our district rather than to expand through the entire Cape. This has meant great sacrifices on the part of the parents, such as transportation, purchasing of music and other expenses. As a result of this latter thought the Monomasset Orchestra was reorganized. This orchestra is planning a series of concerts that will surely be of interest. I am sure the public is due for a real thrill when they hear the first concert from this group.

I wish at this time to express my appreciation to

Superintendent Pratt and the School Committee, and the people of Harwich for their loyal support and encouragement in my work. Principal Morris, a musician himself, is naturally interested in his high school orchestra and is giving it every chance available along with the school activities. Mrs. Crowell and Mrs. Nickerson see to it that their pupils have all the information they want at the beginning and help our work through the entire year. Miss Patch is cooperating with the instrumental department in every way. Mrs. Nassi has taken charge of the beginners' classes and is giving every pupil private attention. The pupils derive the full benefit of these classes which are of tremendous importance in shaping their lives. Music gives them something worth while to do during their leisure time. The community as a whole benefits by the music instruction.

In closing I wish to mention Robert Littell's pronouncement in a recent number of Harpers Magazine. This pronouncement is highly important from the fact that Robert Littell is one of the literary giants and he is not connected with music in any other way except as a lover of this art. Here is a sample of his article. "Higher than almost any other accomplishment do I place music. There is no reason why any boy or girl who is not absolutely tone-deaf should not learn to play one musical instrument well enough for it to be a self-resource and a pleasure to others. I should advocate the substitution of music for Latin as a required subject. Music is, or ought to be an essential part of every civilized being's life. Economic necessity, the radio and the phonograph have put the playing of music beyond most Americans. Our children should bring this back."

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS NASSI,
Instrumental Music Supervisor

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIANS

To the Superintendent of Schools:

The past year has been rather uneventful so far as this department is concerned. There has been no serious outbreak of any contagious disease. The general health of the school children has been good.

It has been a pleasure to the examining physicians to note that many of the physical defects detected in last year's examinations have been corrected. We feel that if parents will study their children's physical examination school report, and act thereon, many a case of deafness, eyestrain, enlarged glands, rheumatism, serious heart disease, malnutrition and maldevelopment may be prevented.

While every one is trying to restore material prosperity in the community, no greater tragedy could befall us than, through neglect, to sacrifice our greatest wealth: our health.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN P. NICKERSON, M. D.

HAROLD F. ROWLEY, M. D.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Since we are interested in immunizing our children from Diphtheria, the Toxin Anti Toxin Clinic started last December was continued in March 1933. We had 40 school children and 71 pre-school children inoculated on March 22, 29 and April 5. We certainly have found a check for diphtheria. We look for further clinics in early spring.

The Dental Clinic was held April 24 by Dr. Turner, running for 11 days, at the financial expenditure of \$182.52 given by the Harwich Visiting Nurse Association. Children were examined up to Grade seven.

Children receiving Dental Care	93
Fillings	430
Extractions	78
Cleanings	55

The summer pre-school round-up was held June 5, by Doctors Goff and Nickerson. 33 children were examined and 28 were vaccinated showing an improvement in numbers over 1932.

During the year the children have been weighed and measured at intervals checking up underweights. Those needing milk were supplied by the Harwich Visiting Nurse Association. 1440 bottles given free. We found this helped them greatly.

The children's Summer Camp at Pocasset accommodated eight of our school children who were very much in need of special care. Those who needed tonsils and adenoids removed and dental care received it free. Each child gained several pounds in weight which gave them a good start for the school year.

There were 408 school room visits made and 391 home visits. Three children were fitted with eye glasses.

We wish to thank the Community Xmas Tree Fund, Red Cross, Kiwanis and Woman's Club for furnishing funds to supply clothing and foot wear to those who really need it.

Harwich is very proud of the fact that our Nurse, Hope Becker, was awarded the Harkness Scholarship which is given to a nurse in a rural community; who has not graduated from a Public Health Training Course, and one who does bedside nursing as well as school nursing. Miss Becker was the only one in the State to receive this Honor which entitles her to a four month's course at Columbia University with all expenses paid.

Since I was appointed school nurse in 1922 I find the work has been trippled, but I also find a great improvement in the children. There are fewer underweights, and personal care improved.

I wish to thank the parents and teachers for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

MARIA P. BEARSE, R. N.
Substitute Nurse

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF ATTENDANCE

To the Superintendent of Schools:

At the commencement of schools we took the census of all children between the ages of five and sixteen years.

The year 1933 there have been no cases of reported truancy. I have investigated a number of cases reported absent, and I found that these children were either ill or not having proper clothing, all of which have been reported and the conditions remedied.

I wish to thank the School Committee, Superintendent, all the teachers and parents for their cooperation in this work.

Respectfully,

JOHN T. WOOD

Supervisor of Attendance

SCHOOL CENSUS

OCTOBER 1, 1933

	Boys	Girls
Five years or over and under seven	45	35
Seven years or over and under fourteen	168	191
Fourteen years or over and under sixteen	42	43
Sixteen years or over and under twenty-one	51	53
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Total	306	322

DISTRIBUTION OF THE ABOVE MINORS

In public day membership:

Five years or over and under seven	52
Seven years or over and under fourteen	357
Fourteen years or over and under sixteen	71
Sixteen years or over and under twenty-one	52

In private school membership:

Five years or over and under seven	1
Seven years or over and under fourteen	2
Fourteen years or over and under sixteen	2
Sixteen years or over and under twenty-one	1

Not enrolled in any day school:

Five years or over and under seven	27
Fourteen years or over and under sixteen	12
Sixteen years or over and under twenty-one	51

Total	<hr/> 628
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TABULAR STATEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP BY GRADES

1923-33

Grade	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933
1	52	58	70	57	66	61	60	66	61	62	53
2	27	39	40	60	53	60	52	62	57	58	60
3	23	34	44	46	46	43	64	52	55	60	57
4	41	27	45	43	46	53	51	64	79	66	56
5	26	32	28	46	43	47	40	46	36	49	63
6	18	26	26	29	46	33	30	52	45	59	52
7	31	21	26	21	22	37	33	34	51	39	53
8	30	26	17	24	20	20	24	26	30	45	38
9	14	25	24	22	25	16	23	30	29	25	43
10	20	10	21	15	15	17	12	14	24	28	17
11	9	13	9	16	14	10	12	9	15	18	24
12	7	7	12	6	14	11	6	9	8	11	16
P. G.										2	
	298	318	362	385	410	408	407	464	490	522	532

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

OCTOBER 1, 1933

Grade	Boys	Girls	Total
1	27	26	53
2	25	35	60
3	29	28	57
4	28	28	56
5	30	33	63
6	23	29	52
			341
7	31	22	53
8	16	22	38
			91

9	20	23	43	
10	8	9	17	
11	14	10	24	
12	4	12	16	100
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Total	46	54	100	532

ENROLLMENT BY SCHOOLS

OCTOBER 1, 1933

School	Boys	Girls	Totals
Center			
Grade			
1	11	9	20
2	6	10	16
4	14	22	36
5	23	21	44
6	20	25	45
			161
Port			
Grade			
1	8	9	17
2	11	10	21
3	16	13	29
			67
West			
Grade			
1	4	4	8
2	4	7	11
3	7	5	12
4	7	3	10
5	2	6	8
			49

North				
Grade				
1	4	4	8	
2	4	8	12	
3	6	10	16	
4	7	3	10	
5	5	6	11	
6	3	4	7	
				64
High School	93	98	191	
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	255	277	532	532

GRADUATION EXERCISES

Class of 1933

HARWICH HIGH SCHOOL

Friday Evening, June twenty-three

Exchange Hall

CLASS ROLL

Lois Abrahamsen	Delmer Bradley Long
Ada Almyra Bassett	Viola Mary Nichols
Emma Louisa Chase	Francis Daniel Oliver
Robertta Chase	John Pena Roderick
Alice Josephine Hollingsworth	Etta Gertrude Spaulding
Lillian Berry Kelley	Zella Willson

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

For the School Year Ending June, 1933

Robert Crowell	Harwichport
Horace Ellis	Harwichport
Irvin Hall	Harwichport
Richard Weekes	Harwichport
Stephen Weekes	Harwichport
Johnathan Weekes	Harwichport
Marquerite Baldwin	Harwichport
Caroline Chase	West Harwich
Frances Cahoon	West Harwich
Marjorie Chase	West Harwich
Roscoe Chase	West Harwich
Arthur Thivierge	West Harwich
Edward Galvin	North Harwich
Mary Roderick	North Harwich
Rose Santos	North Harwich
Frank Santos	North Harwich
James Marceline	Center Elementary
Albert Sylver	Center Elementary
Louise Ellis	Center Elementary
June Holmes	Center Elementary
Helen Powers	Center Elementary
Sandra Rogers	Center Elementary
Marion Small	Center Elementary
Russell Hall	Center Elementary
Robert Megathlin	Center Elementary
Kenneth Cowan	Center Elementary
Leroy Ellis	Center Elementary
Dorothy Demarco	Center Elementary
Marie Downey	Center Elementary
Mildred Nickerson	Center Elementary
Wallace Coulson	Center Elementary

Donald Hall	Center Elementary
Robert Cowan	Center Elementary
Charles Hall	High School
James Nunes	High School
Arlene Nunes	High School
Francis Hunter	High School
Gerald Sylver	High School
Hector Arsenault	High School

FAITHFUL ATTENDANCE

Absent not more than three days

Clifton Nickerson	Harwichport
Norman Ostby	Harwichport
Barbara Holmes	Harwichport
Priscilla Baldwin	Harwichport
Donald Barrett	Harwichport
Robert Owen	Harwichport
Cora Francis	Harwichport
Althea Nickerson	Harwichport
Robert Cummings	West Harwich
Dorothy Francis	West Harwich
Mary Nunes	West Harwich
Yvonne Thivierge	West Harwich
Alice Arseneault	West Harwich
Manuel Santos	North Harwich
Jennie Santos	North Harwich
Lena Fernandez	North Harwich
Lucy Fernandez	North Harwich
Julia Fortes	North Harwich
Phyllis Lombard	North Harwich
Frank Barrows	North Harwich
Joseph Galvin	North Harwich
Norman Galvin	North Harwich
Wallace Raneo	North Harwich

Marion Cannon	Center Elementary
Mae Sylver	Center Elementary
Gertrude Sylvester	Center Elementary
Ralph Cashen	Center Elementary
Arthur Coulson	Center Elementary
Frederick Crowell	Center Elementary
Charles Nichols	Center Elementary
Robert Shaugnessey	Center Elementary
Vernon Whitely	Center Elementary
Herbert Cowan	Center Elementary
Carlos Roderick	Center Elementary
Florence Dumont	Center Elementary
Charles Marceline	Center Elementary
Ralph Saley	Center Elementary
Eugene Winston	Center Elementary
William Downey	High School
Carroll Dumont	High School
Williston Holbert	High School
Carl Lombard	High School
Edmund Roderick	High School
Lawrence Small	High School
Warren Whitely	High School
Yvette Bassett	High School
Minnie Pena	High School
Constantina Perry	High School
Beulah Rogers	High School
Marion Russell	High School
Eric Farham	High School
Myer Greenberg	High School
Edwin Orton	High School
Alice Crabe	High School
Dorothy Marceline	High School
Eileen Roderick	High School
Irving Gardner	High School
Kendrick Matthews	High School
Louise Eldredge	High School

Harold Willson	High School
Allen Bassett	High School
Althea Chase	High School
Emma Eldredge	High School
Helen Stetson	High School
Jean Eldredge	High School
Mary Taylor	High School
Francis Oliver	High School
Ada Bassett	High School
Emily Nickerson	High School

BROOKS MEDAL WINNERS

High School

Madeline Bassett (Grade 11)

Jr. High School

Virginia Crowell (Grade 8)

Center Elementary

Grade 6—Helen T. Eldredge

Grade 5—Susie I. Higgins

Grade 4—Walter Vernon Whiteley

Grade 2—Anna B. Curtis

Harwichport

Grade 3—Audrey Eldredge

Grade 2—Rufus Clayton Small

West Harwich

Grade 6—Lillian Suhonen

Grade 3—Roscoe Chase

North Harwich

Grade 6—Alice Nunes

Grade 3—Vernon Abrew

CORPS OF TEACHERS, JANUARY 1934

Name	School	Preparation	Year Appointed	Experience Prior to Sept. 1933	Salary	Home Address
Paul A. Morris	Principal, High	Univ. of Maine	1928	11	\$2300	Harwichport
Martha A. Farnsworth	Assistant, High	Boston Univ.	1927	6	1500	Harwichport
Ada M. Lovering	Assistant, High	Framingham Normal	1928	18	1400	East Harwich
Edna C. Holmes	Assistant, High	Boston University				
Hillary M. LeClaire	Assistant, High	Baypath Institute	1929	10	1450	Southbridge
Elaine R. Towne	Assistant, High	Monson Academy	1919	18	1900	Harwich
Charles M. Davis	Assistant, High	Smith College	1932	1	1200	Athol
		Mass. Inst. of Technology				
Allie C. Crowell	Center, Grade 6	Salem Normal	1932	1	1300	Sharon
Ethelene B. Nickerson	Center, Gr. 1 & 2	Johnson Vt. Normal	1923	30	1325	West Dennis
Esther L. Flinkman	Center, Grade 4	Hyannis Normal	1922	25	1300	So. Dennis
Edith F. Harding	Center, Grade 5	Bridgewater Normal	1928	5	1200	Centerville
Ethel Myshrahl	Port, Grade 1 & 2	Portland Training	1931	11	1200	Auburn, Me.
Cora D. Chase	Port, Grade 3	Hyannis Normal	1925	30	1200	Harwichport
Ruth Nickerson	West, Primary	Hyannis Normal	1923	10	1200	Harwichport
Estelle K. Powers	W. Intermediate	Lowell Normal	1928	5	1200	So. Harwich
Alice B. Wallace	North, Primary	Bridgewater Normal	1932	2	1000	Lowell
Mary A. Stanford	No., Intermediate	Harwich High	1931	7 1/4	1200	Fall River
Myrtle Mehaffey			1920	17 1/4	1200	Harwich
(Kennedy)						
Charlotte Patch	Supervisor of Art	New School of Design	1931	6 1/4	600	Quincy
Thomas Nassi	Supervisor, Music	Hollins College	1931	2	600	Stoneham
	Inst. Music	N. E. Conservatory		5	400	Orleans

HARWICH SCHOOL CALENDAR

From	To	No. of Weeks
September 6, 1933	December 22, 1933	16 weeks
January 2, 1934	February 16, 1934	7 weeks
February 26, 1934	April 13, 1934	7 weeks
April 23, 1934	June 22, 1934	9 weeks
September 5, 1934	December 21, 1934	16 weeks

Graduation Exercises will be held Friday evening, June 22, 1934.

A meeting of the teachers of Chatham, Eastham, Harwich and Orleans will be held at the Chatham School on Tuesday, September 4, 1934 at 9:30 A. M.

There will be no school sessions on the following days:

September 4, 1933 Labor Day (Monday)
 September 5, 1933 Teachers' Meeting (Tuesday)
 October 12, 1933 Columbus Day (Thursday)
 October 27, 1933 Barnstable County Teachers' Convention (Friday)
 November 11, 1933 Armistice Day (Saturday)
 November 12, 1934 Monday—observe Armistice Day
 November 30, 1933 Thanksgiving Day (Thursday)
 December 1, 1933 Friday after Thanksgiving
 December 25, 1933 Christmas Day (Monday-In vacation)
 January 1, 1934 New Year's Day (Monday)
 February 22, 1934 Washington's Birthday (Thursday-In vacation)
 April 19, 1934 Patriot's Day (Thursday-In vacation)

May 30, 1934 Decoration Day (Wednesday)
September 3, 1934 Labor Day (Monday)
September 4, 1934 Teachers' Meeting (Tuesday)
October 12, 1934 Columbus Day (Friday)
November 11, 1934 Armistice Day (Sunday)
November 29, 1934 Thanksgiving Day (Thursday)
November 30, 1934 Friday after Thanksgiving
December 25, 1934 Christmas Day (Tuesday-In vacation)

The day of the Barnstable County Teachers' Convention and any day appointed for a Teachers' Institute called by the State Department of Education.

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